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May 1, 2015

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14408-0003

#### VIA CERTIFIED MAIL, RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Robert Werner Enforcement Officer (6SF-TE) U. S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 6 1445 Ross Avenue Dallas, Texas 75202

Re:

Plaquemine Point Shipyard, LLC's Response to EPA's General Notice Letter for the CES Environmental Services, Inc. - Houston Superfund Site in Houston, Harris County, Texas

Dear Mr. Werner:

We write on behalf of Plaquemine Point Shipyard, LLC ("PPSLLC") regarding the referenced General Notice Letter for the CES Environmental Services, Inc. - Houston Superfund Site (the "Site"). The General Notice Letter was issued February 27, 2015, and received by PPSLLC on March 3, 2015. The General Notice Letter identifies PPSLLC as a Site PRP and requests that PPSLLC indicate, in writing, its willingness to join in settlement negotiations with EPA and cooperate in the on-going removal action at the Site. The purpose of this letter is to provide that response.

On August 28, 2014, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality ("TCEQ") issued a Request for Information to PPSLLC relating to the Site. A detailed description of Plaquemine Point Shipyard in Sunshine, Louisiana (the "Shipyard") and its historic relationship with the Site was provided to TCEQ in correspondence dated December 8, 2014 (the "TCEQ Letter") (copy enclosed).

According to waste receipt reports received from TCEQ, the Evidentiary Documentation provided in EPA's General Notice Letter, and our review of available records, no waste shipments from the Shipyard were received at the Site later than February 23, 2010.

Although PPSLLC currently owns and operates the Shipyard, it neither existed, nor owned or operated the Shipyard, when the subject waste shipments from the Shipyard were received at the Site for disposal or recycle. PPSLLC is a single-member limited liability

Mr. Robert Werner, EPA - CES Site May 1, 2015 Page 2

company which came into existence on April 15, 2010. It acquired ownership and operational control of the Shipyard on April 23, 2010. Additionally, PPSLLC neither arranged for nor transported wastes to the Site.

Prior to its acquisition by PPSLLC, the Shipyard was owned by Plaquemine Towing Corporation ("PTC"). PTC was formed in 1951 by George Banta, John Merlin Banta, and Frank Banta, Sr. The same three individuals created Plaquemine Point Shipyard, Inc. ("PPS, Inc.") on July 28, 1989 to acquire certain Shipyard assets. PPS, Inc. was renamed Old Plaquemine Point Shipyard, Inc. ("Old PPS") on April 15, 2010, and was dissolved on December 13, 2012. PTC owned and operated the Shipyard until its sale to PPSLLC on April 23, 2010. Old PPS was formed to operate a particular segment of the Shipyard, but it is believed that the plan never came to fruition. Old PPS also sold all its assets to PPSLLC out of an abundance of caution on April 23, 2010. For a more detailed discussion of the ownership and operations of the Shipyard, please see the enclosed TCEQ Letter.

PPSLLC is not a parent, subsidiary, or sister entity to and is not otherwise affiliated with PTC or PPS, Inc./Old PPS. At all times pre- and post-acquisition of the Shipyard by PPSLLC, all referenced entities have maintained their respective corporate formalities and operated as distinct legal entities.

PPSLLC is not a potentially responsible party ("PRP") under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act ("CERCLA") because: (1) it is not a current or former owner or operator of the Site; (2) it did not contract, agree, or otherwise arrange for disposal or treatment of waste at the Site; and (3) it did not contract, agree, or otherwise arrange for the transportation of waste to the Site.

Because PPSLLC is not a PRP under CERCLA, PPSLLC declines the invitation to join in settlement negotiations with EPA or assist in the removal action at the Site. We understand EPA's need to move forward with its removal action and will notify EPA and TCEQ if new information warrants a change in our position.

Please contact me at 225-376-0256 or Ben Anderson at 225-376-0254 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Karen J. Blakemore

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cc:

Frank Banta, Jr. Ben Anderson

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PATRICK O'HARA Counsel patrick.ohara@phelps.com

December 8, 2014

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VIA CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED: Article No. 7012 1010 0002 3043 2693

Mr. Terry Andrews Project Manager Texas Commission on Environmental Quality P.O. Box 13087, MC-136 Austin, Texas 78711-3087

Re:

CES Environmental Services (SWR # 30900)

Plaquemine Point Shipyard, LLC

Response to Request for Information Regarding Historic Relationship to CES Site

Dear Mr. Andrews:

We write on behalf of Plaquemine Point Shipyard, LLC ("PPS") in response to TCEQ's August 28, 2014 Request for Information related to the CES Environmental Services Inc. Facility ("CES Site") in Houston, Texas. On September 26, 2014, PPS submitted an initial response to TCEQ's request and declined the opportunity to undertake corrective actions at the CES Site (see Attachment 1). We appreciate your granting an extension for PPS to respond with additional information regarding Plaquemine Point Shipyard's (the "Shipyard") historic relationship to the CES Site. The purpose of this communication is to provide that response.

According to our review of the 2009 and 2010 waste receipt reports you provided on September 15, 2014, waste shipments from the Shipyard were received at the CES Site between November 6, 2009 and February 23, 2010. We requested the TCEQ provide copies of the manifests listed in the waste receipt reports, but were told that all such records were still in EPA's possession.

PPS did not own or operate the Shipyard at the time of waste generation or its disposal/recycle at the CES Site. Plaquemine Towing Corporation ("PTC") owned the Shipyard from August 2, 1985 until April 23, 2010. PPS was formed as a single-member limited liability corporation on April 15, 2010 and acquired ownership of the Shipyard on April 23, 2010 (see Attachments 2 and 3).

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Although PPS was not involved in the handling of PTC's waste materials, we provide the following information regarding waste generated at the Shipyard during PTC's ownership and operation, including the transportation of such waste to the CES Site for disposal and/or recycle. PPS reviewed available information and provides the following based on the best of our knowledge.

#### Waste and Invoice Descriptions

On or about October 2009, PTC engaged CES to handle waste water from certain barges and vessels located at the Shipyard. Specifically, CES was contracted to transport non-hazardous class I sludge to the CES Site for disposal and to transport oily water for recycle. Although PPS was not able to locate the manifests for these waste shipments, copies of relevant CES invoices are attached to this response and described below:

- CES Invoice Set 1: CES Invoices 58614 through 58617 are for transportation and recycle of oily water. The work described in the invoices was conducted between October 12 and October 15, 2009. These invoices were issued to Plaquemine Plant Shipyard. A portion of the payment was made via an offset arrangement between the Shipyard and CES. The balance remaining after offset (\$750.74) was paid in cash by Chem Carriers, LLC prior to PPS's purchase of the shipyard (see Attachment 4).
- CES Invoice Set 2: CES Invoices 58618, 58656-58658, 58675, 58676, 58903, 58955, 59211-59215, 59275-59277 are for transportation and recycle of oily water. The work described in the invoices was conducted between October 19, 2009 and January 27, 2010. These invoices were re-issued to Chem Carriers, LLC for payment via cash and the offset arrangement described in more detail below (see Attachment 5).
- CES Invoice Set 3: CES Invoices 59137, 59138, and 59345 are for waste characterization, transportation, and disposal of non-hazardous class I sludge generated at the Shipyard. The work described in the invoices was conducted between November 6, 2009 and February 23, 2010. These invoices include 18 of the 19 waste shipments listed on the spreadsheet you provided September 15. PPS was not able to locate the invoice for the shipment listed on TCEQ's spreadsheet as Manifest No. 005793671JJK, received by CES on February 23, 2010. These invoices were re-issued to Chem Carriers for payment via offset and cash (see Attachment 5).

#### Ownership Background of Business Entities Related to the Shipyard Waste

PTC was started in 1951 by George Banta, John Merlin Banta, and Frank Banta, Sr. On or about August 2, 1985, PTC acquired ownership of the Shipyard from Baton Rouge Marine Enterprises, Inc. The same three Banta brothers created Plaquemine Point Shipyard, Inc. ("PPS, Inc.") in July 28, 1989 to acquire ownership rights of certain Shipyard assets. PPS, Inc. was renamed Old Plaquemine Point Shipyard, Inc. ("Old PPS") on April 15, 2010 and the entity was

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A note at the bottom of each invoice incorrectly identifies Plaquemine Point Shipyard, <u>LLC</u>, rather than Plaquemine Point Shipyard, <u>Inc.</u> as the entity involved with an offset arrangement.

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dissolved December 13, 2012. PTC (and PPS, Inc./Old PPS) owned and operated the Shipyard until its sale to PPS in April 2010.

On November 15, 1994, Frank Banta, Jr. formed Chem Carriers, LLC ("Chem Carriers") as a single-member LLC. Chem Carriers is an inland marine liquid transportation business operating a fleet of barges and towboats. Unrelated to Shipyard operations and PTC's contract with CES for the handling of Shipyard waste, Chem Carriers had a business relationship with CES. Specifically, CES chartered barges from Chem Carriers and by October 1, 2009, CES was indebted to Chem Carriers for a significant amount relating to such charters.

By October 2009, PPS was being formed with the intent of purchasing the Shipyard. Frank Banta, Jr., PPS's sole-member, was made aware that PTC engaged CES to handle Shipyard-generated waste prior to the anticipated sale of the Shipyard to PPS. As manager of Chem Carriers, Frank Banta, Jr. was also aware of CES's indebtedness to Chem Carriers.

After CES completed the transport and disposal/recycle of Shipyard waste pursuant to its contract with PTC, and in anticipation of PPS's purchase of the Shipyard, the following financial arrangement was made to reduce CES's indebtedness to Chem Carriers:

- (1) Chem Carriers assumed PTC's financial liability for payment of the \$750.74 outstanding balance on CES Invoice Set 1, and all outstanding balances on CES Invoice Sets 2 and 3, in exchange for a reduction in the purchase price to be paid by PPS to PTC at closing;
- (2) Chem Carriers and CES agreed that a portion of such payment on CES Invoice Sets 2 and 3 would be offset by the amount CES owed to Chem Carriers (see Attachment 5)<sup>2</sup>; and
- (3) PPS agreed to repay Chem Carriers the amount paid to CES (in offsets and cash) to resolve all CES invoices.

#### **Business Entities Associated with the CES Site**

PTC arranged for disposal of non-hazardous class I sludge and recycle of oily waste generated at the Shipyard, and transported by CES to the CES Site.

Although not a party to the contract between CES and PTC for the transportation, disposal, and/or recycling activities, Chem Carriers assumed the financial obligation to pay certain CES invoices for such services.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> A fully executed copy of the agreement could not be located. Although CES signed the agreement April 7, 2010 (after waste disposal was complete), the effective date of the agreement was made retroactive to October 1, 2009 to ensure that financial responsibility for payment of the invoices encompassed the timeframe such obligations were incurred by PTC. CES re-issued the relevant invoices to Chem Carriers (See Exhibit A of Attachment 5) pursuant to the above described offset arrangement.

Mr. Terry Andrews, TCEQ December 8, 2014 Page 4

Pursuant to TCEQ's request that PPS provide the name and address for any business associated with the CES Site, we provide the following:

Plaquemine Towing Corporation c/o Steve LaPlace 1243 Highway 75 Sunshine, LA 70780

Chem Carriers, LLC c/o Frank Banta, Jr. 1237 Highway 75 Sunshine, LA 70780

We reiterate that PPS did not own the Shipyard at the time of waste generation and was not involved in the transport or disposal of such waste. The information provided herein is based on the best of PPS' understanding and knowledge of these events. PPS will supplement this response if any additional information relating to the relationship between the Shipyard and the CES Site is located in the future.

Please contact me at 225-376-0221 or Karen Blakemore at 225-376-0256 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Patrick O'Hara

cc: Frank Banta, Jr. Karen Blakemore

#### List of Attachments:

- 1 Plaquemine Point Shipyard, LLC's initial response to TCEQ, dated September 26, 2014.
- 2 Louisiana Secretary of State Certificate for Plaquemine Point Shipyard, LLC.
- 3 Bill of Sale for Shipyard Assets, dated April 23, 2010.
- 4 CES Invoice Set 1.
- 5 Service & Payment Agreement between Chem Carriers and CES, including Exhibit A.

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PATRICK O'HARA Counsel patrick,oham@phelps.com

September 26, 2014

14408-0003

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED: Article No. 70041160000326742182

Mr. Terry Andrews Project Manager Texas Commission on Environmental Quality P.O. Box 13087, MC-136 Austin, Texas 78711-3087

Re:

CES Environmental Services (SWR # 30900) Plaquemine Point Shipyard, LLC Response

Dear Mr. Andrews:

We write on behalf of Plaquemine Point Shipyard, LLC in response to TCEQ's August 28, 2014 Request for Information related to the CES Environmental Services Inc. Facility ("CES Site") in Houston, Texas. Thank you for the 30-day extension to submit the information regarding Plaquemine Point Shipyard, LLC's historical relationship to the Site. As you know, the extension of time did not apply to the 30-day deadline to indicate whether Plaquemine is willing to undertake corrective actions at the site. The purpose of this communication is to provide that response.

According to our review the 2009 and 2010 waste receipt reports you provided on September 15, 2014, the last waste shipment from the Plaquemine shippard was received at the CES Site on February 23, 2010. We requested that TCEQ provide copies of the manifests listed in the waste receipt reports, but were told that all such records were still in EPA's possession.

Plaquemine Point Shipyard, LLC came into existence on April 15, 2010 and ownership of the shipyard was transferred to Plaquemine Point Shipyard, LLC on or about April 23, 2010. Although we have not been able to locate copies of manifests from the previous owner, our search for those and other relevant documents continues.

However, based on the information now available, Plaquemine Point Shipyard, LLC is not currently in a position to agree to fund or conduct cleanup activities at the CES Site. We understand TCEQ's need to move forward with the corrective action and will notify you if new information warrants a change in our position.

Mr. Terry Andrews, TCEQ September 26, 2014 Page 2

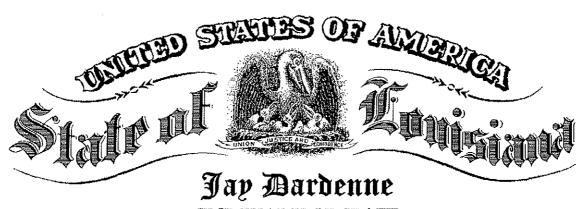
Please contact me at 225-376-0221 or Karen Blakemore at 225-376-0256 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Patrick O'Hara

ce: Frank Banta, Jr.

Karen Blakemore



SECRETARY OF STATE

As Secretary of State, of the State of Louisiana, I do hereby Certify that

a copy of the Articles of Organization and Initial Report of

#### PLAQUEMINE POINT SHIPYARD, L.L.C.

Domiciled at SUNSHINE, LOUISIANA,

Was filed and recorded in this Office on April 15, 2010,

And all fees having been paid as required by law, the limited liability company is authorized to transact business in this State, subject to the restrictions imposed by law, including the provisions of R.S. Title 12, Chapter 22.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of my Office to be affixed at the City of Baton Rouge on,

April 16, 2010

Certificate ID: 10061051#D3C30

To validate this certificate, visit the following web site, go to **Commercial Division**, **Certificate Validation**, then follow the instructions displayed.

www.sos.louisiana.gov

LC 40183566K

# BILL OF SALE (BARGES, EQUIPMENT AND MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS)

BE IT KNOWN, that as of this <u>33</u> day of April, 2010, before me, the undersigned Notary Public duly commissioned and qualified, personally came and appeared:

**Plaquemine Towing Corporation**, a Louisiana corporation, whose mailing address is 1070 River Road, Sunshine, Louisiana 70780, represented herein by its duly authorized President, Frank W. Banta, Sr. ("<u>PTC</u>"); and

Old Plaquemine Point Shipyard, Inc., a Louisiana corporation, whose mailing address is 1070 River Road, Sunshine, Louisiana 70780, represented herein by its duly authorized officer, George W. Banta ("Old PPS") (collectively, PTC and Old PPS are known as the "Seller");

and

Plaquemine Point Shipyard, L.L.C., a Louisiana limited liability company, whose mailing address is 1247 Highway 75 Brookewood, Sunshine, Louisiana 70780, represented herein by its duly authorized Manager, Frank W. Banta, Jr. (the "Buyer")

who declared as follows:

- 1. Seller and Buyer entered into an Asset Purchase Agreement (the "<u>Purchase Agreement</u>"), lated as of July 8, 2009, for the sale of certain of Seller's assets, including without limitation those parges, equipment and miscellaneous items described on <u>Exhibit A</u>, to Buyer under the terms and conditions of the Purchase Agreement.
- 2. Seller is the owner of and has good and marketable title in and to the barges, equipment and miscellaneous items described on <u>Exhibit A</u> hereto and has good right, full power and lawful authority to grant, bargain, sell and convey the property described on <u>Exhibit A</u> to Buyer.
- 3. Seller has agreed to and does hereby sell, transfer, assign, set over and deliver unto Buyer all of its barges, equipment and miscellaneous items described on Exhibit A, but not the excluded assets described on Exhibit B, in consideration of the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) and other valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged by Seller.
- 4. This sale is made with full warranty of title and with warranty that the property herein conveyed is free and clear from any and all former and other grants, bargains, sales, liens, taxes, assessments and encumbrances of whatever kind or nature whatsoever.

-signatures on following pages-

THUS DONE AND PASSED, in the Parish of East Baton Rouge, State of Louisiana, in the presence of the undersigned competent witnesses who have signed with said appearers and me, Notary, on this 3 day of April, 2010, after due reading of the whole.

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Name: George W. Banta
Jance Q
Name: Joyce Juneau

WITNESSES:

Plaquemine Towing Corporation

By: trank W. Bartas-
Name: Frank W. Banta, Sr.
Title: President

Old Plaquemine Point Shipyard, Inc.

By: Essolalw. Banto 52
Name: Frank W. Banta, Sr.
Title: Authorized Officer

Name:
Not. Id./Bar Roll No.:

Commission Exp.:\_

Jeffrey M. Barbin Bar Roll No. 25566 Notary Public, State of Louisiana My Commission is for Life. THUS DONE AND PASSED, in the Parish of East Baton Rouge, State of Louisiana, in the presence of the undersigned competent witnesses who have signed with said appearers and me, Notary, on this day of April, 2010, after due reading of the whole.

WITNESSES:

Name: George in Bunta

Name: Joyce Juneau

Plaquemine Point Shipyard, L.L.C.

Name: Frank W. Banta, Jr.

Title: Manager

Name:

Not. Id./Bar Roll No.:\_\_\_\_\_\_ Commission Exp.:\_\_\_\_\_ Jeffrey M. Barbin Bar Roll No. 25566 Notary Public, State of Louisiana My Commission is for Life.

#### EXHIBIT A

All barges, equipment and miscellaneous items, including without limitation the following:

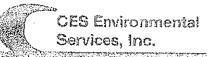
- 1. Drydock
- 2. PPS 10
- 3. PPS 9
- 4. PPS 3
- 5. PPS 2
- 6. PPS 7
- 7. PPS 4-COE 606
- 8. PPS 5-COE 591
- 9. SB 2
- 10. PPS 6
- 11. PPS 13
- 12. PPS 14
- 13. PPS 15
- 14. PPS 16
- 15. PPS 11-H 103
- 16. Chotin 1546
- 17. PPS 17-Mobil 352
- 18. Apex 3002
- 19. John Deer 644B
- 0. Pettibone MDL 36
- 21. Office trailers

#### EXHIBIT B

#### **Excluded Assets**

- 1. Plaquemine Bank Stock
- 2. Cash on hand or in accounts
- 3. Bank Accounts
- 4. Steam Vessel Lunga Point
- 5. Accounts Receivable
- 6. Vessel PTC 103

#### Attachment 4



4904 Griggs Road Houston, TX 77021 Phone: (713) 676-1460 Fax: (713) 676-1676

Bill To:

Plaquemine Point Shipyard

1070 River Road Sunshine, LA 70780 Machina Marin of the State of t

#### Invoice

Date	Invoice#
10/20/2009	58614

		P.O. No.	Terms	Pro	oject
			Net 30		
Quantity	Description		Manifest#	Rate	Amount
	10/12/09	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
1	Transportation services by CES #298 @	\$850.00 per load		850.00	850.00
	Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hour	woodno por rond		70.00	87.50
1,25	14.5% Fuel Surcharge			135.94	135.94
5,552	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mix	ture @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90737	0,09	499.68
1	Transportation services by CES #287 @	\$850 00 per load		850.00	850,00
	Loading denurrage @ \$70.00 per hour	water of the state		70.00	70.00
'	14.5% Fuel Surcharge			133.40	133.40
5,000	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mix	ture @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90745	0.09	450.00
1	Transportation services by CES #282 @	\$850.00 per load		850,00	850.00
	Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hour			70.00	70.00
	14.5% Fuel Surcharge			133.40	133.40
5,000	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mix	ture @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90752	0.09	450.00
	1.1% Energy Surcharge			15.40	15,40
	1% Compliance Fee			45.95	45.95
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			MANAGEMENT	·	\$4,641.27
Late Payment Policy: Any unpaid balances begining on the 30th day after the account is due will accrue a per annum interest rate of 7.5%, unless otherwise stated in a formalized contract.			Sales Tax (8.	.25%)	\$0.00
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10/20/2009

4904 Griggs Road Houston, TX 77021 Phone: (713) 676~1460 Fax: (713) 676-1676

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Plaquemine Point Shipyard

1070 River Road Sunshine, LA 70780

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0.75	14.5% Fuel Surcharge			130.86	130.80
5,200	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mixture @	\$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90739	0.09	468.00
1	Transportation services by CES #287 @ \$850.0	0 per load		850.00	850,00
ŀ	Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hour	,		70.00	70.00
	14.5% Fuel Surcharge			133,40	133,40
5,000	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mixture @	\$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90746	0.09	450.00
1	Transportation services by CES #297 @ \$850.0	0 per load		850.00	850:00
	14.5% Fuel Surcharge	,		123.25	123.23
5,000	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mixture @	\$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90753	0.09	450.00
	1.1% Energy Surcharge			15.05	15.0
	1% Compliance Fee			44.43	44.43
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			Total		\$4,487.49

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1070 River Road Sunshine, LA 70780

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Quantity	Description		Manifest #	Rate	Amount
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Late Payment Policy: Any unpaid balances begining o account is due will accrue a per annum interest rate of			Sales Tax (8.	25%)	\$0.00
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4904 Griggs Road Houston, TX 77021 Phone: (713) 676-1460 Fax: (713) 676-1676

Invoice

	Date	Invoice#
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Bill To:

Plaquemine Point Shipyard

1070 River Road Sunshine, LA 70780

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Quantity	Description		Manifest #	Rate	Amount
	10/15/09				
1	Transportation services by CES #297 @ 14.5% Fuel Surcharge	\$850.00 per load		850.00 123.25	850.00 123,25
5,000	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mix	kture @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90755	0.09	450.00
1	Transportation services by CES #290 @	\$850.00 per load		850.00	850.00
0.75	Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hour			70.00	52.50
5,000	14.5% Fuel Surchurge Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mi:	kture @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90748	130.86	130.86 450.00
1	Transportation services by CES #298 @	\$850.00 per load		850.00	850.00
2.0	Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hour			70.00	35.00 128.33
5,200	14.5% Fuel Surcharge Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mi:	xture @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90741	0.09	468.00
	1,1% Energy Surcharge			15.05	15.05
	1% Compliance Fee			44.03	44.03
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			Sales Tax (8.	.25%)	\$0.00
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## SERVICE AND PAYMENT AGREEMENT

This SERVICE AND PAYMENT AGREEMENT (this "Agreement") is made and entered into effective as of 1<sup>st</sup> day of October, 2009 (the "Effective Date"), by and between CHEM CARRIERS, L.L.C., a Louisiana limited liability company (hereinafter referred to as "Chem Carriers") and CES ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES, INC., a Texas corporation (hereinafter referred to as "CES").

#### RECITALS

WHEREAS, CES currently owes Chem Carriers an outstanding indebtedness of THREE HUNDRED THIRTY-THREE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED FIFTY-ONE AND 82/100 DOLLARS (\$333,551.82), which sum includes interest calculated through February 1, 2010 and which sum continues to accrue daily at an interest rate of SEVEN PERCENT (7%) (the "Indebtedness");

AND WHEREAS, CES has been and is providing environmental cleanup services in connection with the removal of waste water from certain barges and other vessels located at Plaquemine Point Shipyard ("Environmental Services"), which (after offset of agreed amounts payable from CES to Plaquemine Point, currently approximate the sum of One Hundred Thirty Six Thousand Five Hundred Ninety-Six and 96/100 Dollars (\$136,596.96) of Environmental Services to date, as represented by CES Invoices 58618, 58656 through 58658, 58675, 58676, 58903, 58955, 59137 and 59138, 59211 – 59215, 59275 – 59277, and 59345 ("Invoices"), copies of which are attached hereto as Exhibit A, and made parts hereof;

AND WHEREAS, Chem Carriers has entered a transaction with Plaquemine Point Shipyard, whereby Chem Carriers acquired ownership of said barges and other vessels located at the shipyard together with liabilities of Plaquemine Point Shipyard associated therewith;

AND WHEREAS, CES and Chem Carriers (collectively the "Parties", or each a "Party") both desire that a portion of the \$136,596.96 of costs and invoices related to the previously performed Environmental Services, shall be used as a credit to offset a portion of the Indebtedness, as provided herein below, desire that FIFTY PERCENT (50%) of the future Environmental Services performed by CES related to said barges and vessels shall also be used as a credit to offset a portion of the Indebtedness.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the foregoing recitals and the following agreements and releases, together with other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged by CES and Chem Carriers, the Parties do hereby agree as follows:

#### AGREEMENT

- 1. **INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE.** The foregoing recitals shall be incorporated by reference as provisions of this Agreement as if the full text of each of the foregoing recitals had been written out in its entirety in this portion of the Agreement.
- 2. OFFSET OF PRIOR ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES. CES hereby reduces the amounts owed by Chem Carriers under the first ten (10) Invoices by the sum of \$97,347.70, as payment thereof, in exchange for an equal offset of \$97,347.70 credited toward the Indebtedness. Accordingly, Chem Carriers hereby accepts from CES, as partial payment of the Indebtedness, said credit. The Parties further agree that Chem Carriers shall pay CES in cash the remaining FORTY THOUSAND AND 00/100 DOLLARS (\$39,249.26) owed to CES by Chem carriers, as represented by the nine (9) most current Invoices.
- 3. OFFSET OF FUTURE ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES. CES does hereby agree to reduce future amounts owed by Chem Carriers for Environmental Services related to said barges and other vessels located at Plaquemine Point Shipyard (the "Barges and Other Vessels"), by a sum of money equaling the gross profit on the invoice (total invoice less CES' direct cost including but not limited to transportation, labor, and disposal) for any such Environmental Services, as reflected on any such future invoice therefore ("Cost Reduction"), in exchange for an equal offset credited toward the Indebtedness. The Parties further agree that Chem Carriers shall pay CES, cash, within 7 days of invoice, the remaining amount of any such future amounts owed by Chem Carriers to CES for Environmental Services related to the Barges and Other Vessels.

#### 4. ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES.

- a. The Environmental Services to be provided by CES under this Agreement in connection with the Barges and Other Vessels shall include, without limitation, the (i) removal of waste water and other environmentally hazardous contents contained on the Barges and Other Vessels (collectively referred to as "Contaminants"); and (ii) necessary treatment and disposal of any and all such Contaminants so removed by CES from the Barges and Other Vessels.
- b. CES agrees that the treatment and disposal of all Contaminants, as described hereinabove, shall occur contemporaneously with the removal thereof. For purposes of this Agreement, "contemporaneous" shall mean within seven (7) calendar days from the date CES removes any such Contaminants from the Barges and Other Vessels.
- 5. **TERMINATION**. The duties and obligations provided hereunder shall terminate upon the earlier occurrence of the (i) expiration of this Agreement upon the complete removal and treatment by CES of Contaminants from the Barges and Other Vessels; or (ii) termination

- of this Agreement at the option of Chem Carriers, exercisable in Chem Carrier's sole and absolute discretion.
- 6. **COUNTERPARTS**. This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be an original, but all of which shall together constitute one and the same instrument.
- 7. GOVERNING LAW. This document shall be governed by the laws of the State of Louisiana.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED in the Parish of Iberville, State of Louisiana, on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of April 2010, but effective as written above.

CHEM CARRIERS, LLC:

By:
Printed Name:
Title:

THUS DONE AND SIGNED in the County of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, State of Texas, on this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ day of April 2010, but effective as written above.

CES ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES, INC.:

By: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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#### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

STATE OF LOUISIANA PARISH OF	
Before me on this day of Aprundersigned, competent witnesses, came and appear is personally known to me or has produced a acknowledge that he has executed the foregoing dated as of April, 2010.	
WITNESSES:	PARTY:
Printed Name:	Printed Name: Title:
Printed Name:	
Notary Pr	ublic
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Printed Name:	
Bar Roll No.: My Commission Expires: _	

#### **Exhibit A to Attachment 5**

# CES Environmental Services, Inc.

4904 Griggs Road Houston, TX 77021 Phone: (713) 676-1460 Fax: (713) 676-1676

Bill To:

Chem Carriers, LLC Attn: Robert Banta 1247 Hwy 75 Brookewood

Sunshine, LA 70780

Invoice

Date	Invoice #
10/20/2009	58618

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		P.O. No.	Terms	Pr	oject
			Net 30		
Quantity	Description	n	Manifest#	Rate	Amount
	10/16/09				
1	Transportation services by CES #290	@ \$850.00 per load		850,00	850.00
	Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hou			70.00	52.50
	14.5% Fuel Surcharge			130.86	130.86
5,000	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water n	nixture @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90749	0.09	450.00
i	Transportation services by CES #297	@ \$850.00 per load		850.00	850.00
1.25	Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hou	ľ		70.00	87.50
	14.5% Fuel Surcharge	40.00-0.00		135.94	135.94
5,000	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water n	nixture @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90756	0.09	450,00
1	Transportation services by CES #298	@ \$850.00 per load		850,00	850.00
	14.5% Fuel Surcharge	\ \		123.25	123.25
5,200	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water n	nixture @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90742	0.09	468.00
	1.1% Energy Surcharge			15.05	15.05
Physical	1% Compliance Fee			44.63	44.63
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Ve apprecia	ate your business!		Subtotal		\$4,507.73
Late Payment Policy: Any unpaid balances begining o account is due will accrue a per annum interest rate of stated in a formalized contract.		in the 30th day after the 7,5%, unless otherwise	Sales Tax (8.	.25%)	\$0.00
		•	Total		\$4,507.73

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## Invoice

Date	Invoice #
10/23/2009	58656

Bill To:

Chem Carriers, LLC

Attn: Robert Banta 1247 Hwy 75 Brookewood Sunshine, LA 70780

	:	P.O. No.	Terms	Pro	oject
			Net 30		
Quantity	Description	1	Manifest #	Rate	Amount
	10/19/09		ľ		
1	Transportation services by CES #297	@ \$850.00 per load		850.00	850.00
	14.5% Fuel Surcharge	•		123.25	123.25
5,000	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water in	nixture @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL, 90750	0.09	450.00
1	Transportation services by CES #282 (	@ \$850.00 per load		850.00	850.00
	Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hou			70.00	52,50
"",	14.5% Fuel Surcharge			130.86	130,86
5,000	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water m	nixture @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90757	0.09	450.00
1	Transportation services by CES #298 (	@ \$850.00 per load		850.00	850.00
	Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hour			70.00	52.50
J	14.5% Fuel Surcharge			130.86	130.86
5,200	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water m	nixture @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90743	0.09	468.00
	1.1% Energy Surcharge			15.05	15.05
	1% Compliance Fee			44.23	44.23
We apprecia	nte your business!		Subtotal	<u>I </u>	\$4,467.25
ate Payme	nt Policy: Any unpaid balances begining o	n the 30th day after the	Sales Tax (8.	.25%)	\$0.00
	ormalized contract.		Total	<u> </u>	\$4,467.25

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Balance after invoice: \$1324,576,84

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## Invoice

Date	Involce #
10/23/2009	58657

Bill To:

Chem Carriers, LLC Attn: Robert Banta 1247 Hwy 75 Brookewood Sunshine, LA 70780

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		P.O. No.	Terms	Pr	oject	
			Net 30			
Quantity	Description		Manifest #	Rate	Amount	
	10/20/09					
1	Transportation services by CES #298 @	2 \$850,00 per load		850.00	850.00	
	14.5% Fuel Surcharge			123.25	123,25	
5,200	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water m	ixture @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90744	0.09	468.00	
1	Transportation services by CES #290 @	@ \$850.00 per load		850.00	850.00	
	Loading demurrage (a) \$70.00 per hour			70.00	70.00	
	14.5% Fuel Surcharge			133.40	133.40	
5,000	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water m	ixture @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90751	0.09	450.00	
1	Transportation services by CES #282 @	2,\$850,00 per load		850.00	850.00	
	Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hour			70.00	105.00	
	14.5% Fuel Surcharge			138.48	138.48	
5,000	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water m	ixture @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90754	0.09	450:00	
	1.1% Energy Surcharge			15.05	15.05	
	1% Compliance Fee			45.03	45.03	
We appreci	ate your business!		Subtotal		\$4,548.21	
account is c	ont Policy: Any unpaid balances begining on the will accrue a per annum interest rate of 7	the 30th day after the .5%, unless otherwise	Sales Tax (8.	25%)	\$0.00	
stated in a f	ormalized contract.		Total		\$4,548.21	

Paid via offset to Chem Carriers LLC Balance defens offset: \$324,576.64 Balance often offset: \$350,028.63

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Fax: (713) 676-1676

### Invoice

Date	Invoice #
10/23/2009	58658

Bill To:

Chem Carriers, LLC
Attn: Robert Bania

1247 Hwy 75 Brookewood Sunshine, LA 70780

		P.O. No.	Terms	Pro	oject
			Net 30		
Quantity	Description	n	Manifest #	Rate	Amount
1 · 0.5 5,000	10/21/09 Transportation services by CES #298 14.5% Fuel Surcharge Recycling of hydrocarbon and water in Transportation services by CES #287 Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hou 14.5% Fuel Surcharge Recycling of hydrocarbon and water in Transportation services by CES #282 Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hou 14.5% Fuel Surcharge Recycling of hydrocarbon and water in 1.1% Energy Surcharge 1% Compliance Fee	nixture @ \$0.09 per gallon @ \$850.00 per load r nixture @ \$0.09 per gallon @ \$850.00 per load r	BOL 90955  BOL 90968	850.00 123.25 0.09 850.00 70.00 128.33 0.09 850.00 70.00 143.55 0.09 15.05 45.03	850.00 123.25 468.00 850.00 128.33 450.00 140.00 143.55 450.00
We appreci	ate your business!		Subtotal		\$4,548.21
Late Payment Policy: Any unpaid balances begining on the account is due will accrue a per annum interest rate of 7.5%		on the 30th day after the 7.5%, unless otherwise	Sales Tax (8	.25%)	\$0.00
	ormalized contract.	-	Total		\$4,548.21

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#### Invoice

Date	Invoice #
10/28/2009	58675

Bill To:

Chem Carriers, LLC Attn: Robert Banta 1247 Hwy 75 Brookewood

Sunshine, LA 70780

	P.C	No.	Terms	Pro	olect
			Net 30		
Quantity	Description		Manifest #	Rate	Amount
	10/22/09				
1	Transportation services by CES #298 @ \$850.00 pe	er Ioad	1	850.00	850.00
	Loading demurrage @ \$70,00 per hour	7 1000	}	70.00	35.00
- 10	14.5% Fuel Surcharge			128.33	128.33
5,200	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mixture @ \$0.	09 per gallon BC	DL 90972	0.09	468.00
1	Transportation services by CES #297 @ \$850.00 pe	er load		850.00	850.00
	Loading demurrage (a) \$70.00 per hour			70.00	35,00
	14.5% Fuel Surcharge			128.33	128,33
5,000	Management of corrosive liquid (sodium hydroxide	, BC	DL 91236	0.11	550.00
	hydrocarbons) @ \$0.11 per gallon (pH >12.5)	1'0]	olaces 90970		
ì	Transportation services by CES #282 @ \$850.00 pe	or load	Try Allander	850.00	850,00
	Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hour		}	70.00	87,50
	14.5% Fuel Surcharge			135.94	135.94
5,000	Management of corrosive liquid (sodium hydroxide	, ВС	OL 91237	0.11	550.00
	hydrocarbons) @ \$0.11 per gallon (pH >12.5)	reş	places 90971		
	1.1% Energy Surcharge			17.25	17.25
	1% Compliance Fee			46.85	46.85
Ve appreci	ate your business!		Subtotal		
			www.ai		\$4,732,20
	ent Policy: Any unpaid balances begining on the 30th day the will accrue a per annum interest rate of 7.5%, unless of		ales Tax (8.	25%)	\$0.00
	formalized contract.				\$4,732.20

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### Invoice

Date	Invoice #
10/28/2009	58676

Bill To:

Chem Carriers, LLC Attn: Robert Banta 1247 Hwy 75 Brookewood Sunshine, LA 70780

		P.O. No.	Terms	Pr	oject
			Net 30		
Quantity	Descriptio	n	Manifest #	Rate	Amount
]	10/23/09 Transportation services by CES #298			850.00 70.00	850,00 35,00
0.5	Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hou 14.5% Fuel Surcharge	ı		128.33	128.33
5,200	Management of corrosive liquid (sodi hydrocarbons) @ \$0.11 per gallon (pl		BOL 91238 replaces 90973	0.11	572.00
	Transportation services by CES #287 Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hou 14.5% Fuel Surcharge			850.00 70.00 128.33	850.00 35.00 128.33
5,000	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water n	nixture @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90974	0.09	450.00
	Transportation services by CES #282 Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hou 14.5% Fuel Surcharge			850.00 70.00 141.01	850.00 122.50 141,01
5,000	Management of corrosive liquid (sodi hydrocarbons) @ \$0.11 per gallon (pF		BOL 91239 replaces 90975	0.11	550,00
	1.1% Energy Surcharge 1% Compliance Fee			47.29	47.29 0.00
We appreci	ate your business!		Subtotal		\$4,759.46
Late Payme	ont Policy: Any unpaid balances begining of the will accrue a per annum interest rate of	on the 30th day after the 7.5%, unless otherwise	Sales Tax (8.	25%)	\$0.00
	ormalized contract.		Total		\$4,759.46

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### Invoice

Date	Invoice #
12/3/2009	58903

Bill To:

Chem Carriers, LLC Attn: Robert Banta 1247 Hwy 75 Brookewood Sunshine, LA 70780

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	Phase	4	Net 30		
Quantity	Description		Manifest #	Rate	Amount
5,000	Management of corrosive liquid (sodium hydrocarbons) @ \$0.11 per gallon (pH :		BOL 91787	0.11	550,00
	11/24/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$850 Loading demurage @ \$70.00 per hour	0.00 per load		850.00 70.00	1,700.00 140.00
ئد	15.5% Fuel Surcharge			285.20	285.20
5,200	Management of corrosive liquid (sodiur hydrocarbons) @ \$0.11 per gallon (pH:		BOL 91883	0.11	572.00
5,000	Management of corrosive liquid (sodium hydrocarbons) @ \$0.11 per gallon (pH >	n hydroxide,	BOL 91882	0.11	550.00
	11/25/09	100 - on lead		850.00	850.00
0.5	Transportation services by CES @ \$850 Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hour	.00 per load	<b>!</b>	70.00	35.00 137.18
5,200	15.5% Fuel Surcharge Management of corrosive liquid (sodiur hydrocarbons) @ \$0.11 per gallon (pH		BOL 91885	0.11	572.00
	1% Energy Surcharge 1% Compliance Fee			39.38 111.93	39,38 111,93
We appreci	ate your business!		Subtotal	<u> </u>	\$11,305.19
Late Payment Policy: Any unpaid balances begining account is due will accrue a per annum interest rate of stated in a formalized contract.		the 30th day after the 5%, unless otherwise	Sales Tax (8	.25%)	\$0,00
			Total		\$11,305.19

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## Invoice

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Bill To:

Chem Carriers, LLC Attn: Robert Banta

1247 Hwy 75 Brookewood Sunshine, LA 70780

		P.O. No.	Terms	Pro	oject
			Net 30		
Quantity	Description		Manifest #	Rate	Amount
0.5	11/18/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$85 Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hour 15.5% Fuel Surcharge Management of corrosive liquid (sodiu hydrocarbons) @ \$0.11 per gallon (pFI	m hydroxide,	BOL 91763	850.00 70.00 137.18 0.11	850,00 35,00 137,18 550,00
0.5	11/19/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$85 Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hour 15.5% Fuel Surcharge Management of corrosive liquid (sodiu hydrocarbons) @ \$0.11 per gallon (pH	m hydroxide,	BOL 91784	850.00 70.00 137.18 0.11	850.00 35.00 137.18 572.00
0.75	11/23/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$85 Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hour 15.5% Fuel Surcharge Management of corrosive liquid (sodiu hydrocarbons) @ \$0.11 per gallou (pH	m hydroxide,	BOL 91785	850.00 70.00 271.64 0.11	1,700.00 52.50 271.64 572.00
We appreci	nte your business!		Subtotal	<u> </u>	
Late Payment Policy: Any unpaid balances begining on the 30th account is due will accrue a per annum interest rate of 7.5%, unlesstated in a formalized contract.		the 30th day after the .5%, unless otherwise	Sales Tax (8	.25%)	
			Total		

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### Invoice

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12/9/2009	58955

Bill To
Chem Carriers, LLC Attn: Robert Banta 1247 Hwy 75 Brookewood Sunshine, LA 70780

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_,			Net 30		
Quantity	Description		Ticket #	Rate	Amount
0.5	11/25/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$850 Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hour 15.5% Fuel Surcharge Management of corrosive liquid (sodium hydrocarbons) @ \$0.11 per gallon 1% Energy Surcharge 1% Compliance Fee	•	BOL, 91884	850.00 70.00 137.18 0.11 5.50 15.78	850.00 35.00 137.18 550.00 5.50 15.78
We apprecia	te your business!		Subtotal		\$1,593.46
Late Payment Policy: Any unpaid balances after 30 days will accrue a minterest rate of 1.5%.  This trailer/equipment has been inspected by customer and thus is clean a for re-use. CES shall not be liable for consequential and/or incidental day.		will accrue a monthly	Sales Tax (	8.25%)	\$0.00
		I thus is clean and ready	Total		\$1,593.46

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Bill To:

Chem Carriers, LLC Attn: Robert Banta 1247 Hwy 75 Brookewood Sunshine, LA 70780

## Invoice

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		P.O. No.	Terms	Pr	oject
			Net 30		
Quantity	Description	n	Manifest #	Rate	Amount
4.25	1/19/10 Transportation services by CES @ \$8. Loading demurrage @ \$70,00 per hou 17% Fuel Surcharge Recycling of hydrocarbon and water n	r	BOL 93017	850.00 70.00 484.08	2,550.00 297.50 484.08
	Phenol 20 ppm surcharge @ \$0.03 per		DOL 30011	0.03	156.00
5,000 5,000 5,000 5,000	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water in Phenol 25 ppm surcharge @ \$0.03 per grand to C 13,280 surcharge @ \$0.03 per grand to C 12,820 surcharge @ \$0.03 per grand to C 1	rgallon allon nixture @ \$0.09 per gallon gallon	BOL 93018	0.09 0.03 0.03 0.09 0.03 0.03 20.52 54.76	450.00 150.00 150.00 450.00 150.00 150.00 20.52 54.76
We appreci	ate your business!		Subtotal	1	\$5,530.86
Late Payment Policy: Any unpaid balances begining o account is due will accrue a per annum interest rate of stated in a formalized contract.		on the 30th day after the 7,5%, unless otherwise	Sales Tax (8	.25%)	\$0.00
		•	Total		\$5,530.86

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4904 Griggs Road Houston, TX 77021 Phone: (713) 676-1460 Fax: (713) 676-1676

## Invoice

Date	Invoice #
1/27/2010	59212

Bill To:

Chem Carriers, LLC

Attn: Robert Banta

1247 Hwy 75 Brookewood Sunshine, LA 70780

		P.O. No.	Terms	Pri	oject
			Net 30		
Quantity	Descriptlo	ń	Manifest#	Rate	Amount
5,000 5,000 5,000 5,000 5,000	1/20/10 Transportation services by CES @ \$8 Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hou 17% Fuel Surcharge Recycling of hydrocarbon and water of Phenol 75 ppm surcharge @ \$0.04 per TOC 13,100 surcharge @ \$0.03 per gi Recycling of hydrocarbon and water of Phenol 50 ppm surcharge @ \$0.04 per TOC 14,010 surcharge @ \$0.03 per gi 1.5% Energy Surcharge 1% Compliance Fee	nixture @ \$0.09 per gallon gallon allon nixture @ \$0.09 per gallon gallon	BOL 93020 BOL 93022	850.00 70.00 303.88 0.09 0.04 0.03 0.09 0.04 0.03	1,700.00 87.50 303.88 450.00 200.00 150.00 450.00 200.00 150.00
We appreci	ate your business!		Subtotal	<u> </u>	\$3,741.93
Late Payment Policy: Any unpaid balances begining account is due will account a per annum interest rate of stated in a formalized contract.		on the 30th day after the 7.5%, unless otherwise	Sales Tax (8	.25%)	\$0.00
			Total	···	\$3,741.93

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## Invoice

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1/27/2010	59213	

Bill To:

Chem Carriers, LLC Attn: Robert Banta

1247 Hwy 75 Brookewood Sunshine, LA 70780

		P.O. No.	Terms	Pro	oject
			Net 30		
Quantity	Description		Manifest #	Rate	Amount
5,000 5,000 5,000 5,000 5,000	1/21/10 Transportation services by CES @ \$850.00 per load Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hour 17% Fuel Surcharge  Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mixture @ \$0.09 per gallon Phenol 50 ppm surcharge @ \$0.04 per gallon TOC 12,340 surcharge @ \$0.03 per gallon  Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mixture @ \$0.09 per gallon Phenol 50 ppm surcharge @ \$0.04 per gallon TOC 13,490 surcharge @ \$0.03 per gallon 1.5% Energy Surcharge 1% Compliance Fee		BOL 93021 BOL 93023	850.00 70.00 312.80 0.09 0.04 0.03 0.09 0.04 0.03 13.50 37.66	1,700.00 140.00 312.80 450.00 200.00 150.00 450.00 200.00 150.00
We appreciate your business!		Subtotal	1	\$3,803.96	
Late Payment Policy: Any unpaid balances begining on the 30th day after the account is due will accrue a per annum interest rate of 7.5%, unless otherwise stated in a formalized contract.		Sales Tax (8.25%)		\$0.00	
		Total		\$3,803.96	

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Bill To:

Chem Carriers, LLC Attn: Robert Banta

1247 Hwy 75 Brookewood Sunshine, LA 70780

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		P.O. No.	Terms	Project	
			Net 30		
Quantity	Description		Manifest #	Rate	Amount
5,000 5,000 5,000 5,000 5,000	1/22/10 Transportation services by CES @ \$850 17% Fuel Surcharge  Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mi Phenol 50 ppm surcharge @ \$0.04 per g TOC 10,140 surcharge @ \$0.03 per gail  Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mi Phenol 50 ppm surcharge @ \$0.04 per g TOC 11,160 surcharge @ \$0.03 per gail  1.5% Energy Surcharge 1% Compliance Fee	xture @ \$0.09 per gallon gallon on xture @ \$0.09 per gallon gallon	BOL 93026	850,00 289.00 0.09 0.04 0.03 0.09 0.04 0.03 13.50 36.03	1,700.00 289.00 450.00 200.00 150.00 450.00 200.00 150.00
We appreciate your business!		Subtotal	11	\$3,638.53	
Late Payment Policy: Any unpaid balances begining on the 30th day after the account is due will accrue a per annum interest rate of 7.5%, unless otherwise stated in a formalized contract.		Sales Tax (8.25%)		\$0.00	
		Total		\$3,638.53	

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Attn: Robert Banta

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		P.O. No.	Terms	Pr	oject
			Net 30		
Quantity	Description		Manifest #	Rate	Amount
5,000 5,000	1/25/10 Transportation services by CES @ \$850 17% Fuel Surcharge Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mi Phenoi 50 ppm surcharge @ \$0.04 per g TOC 11,810 surcharge @ \$0.03 per gall 1.5% Energy Surcharge 1% Compliance Fee	xture @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 93251	850.00 144.50 0.09 0.04 0.03 6.75 18.01	850.00 144.50 450.00 200.00 150.00
We appreci	ate your business!		Subtotal		\$1,819.26
ate Payment Policy: Any unpaid balances begining on the 30th account is due will accrue a per annum interest rate of 7.5%, unl		the 30th day after the 5%, unless otherwise	Sales Tax (8.	25%)	\$0.00
	ormalized contract.		Total	- Marian	\$1,819.26

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Attn: Robert Banta 1247 Hwy 75 Brookewood Sunshine, LA 70780

		P.O. No.	Terms	Pr	oject
			Net 30		
Quantity	Description	}	Manifest #	Rate	Amount
5,000 5,000	1/25/10 Transportation services by CES @ \$85 17% Fuel Surcharge Recycling of hydrocarbon and water in Phenol 50 ppm surcharge @ \$0.04 per TOC 14,730 surcharge @ \$0.03 per gaths and the surcharge to the surcharge of the surcharge to the surcharg	nixture @ \$0.09 per gallon gallon	BOL 93252	850.00 144.50 0.09 0.04 0.03 6.75 18.01	850.00 144.50 450.00 200.00 150.00 6.75 18.01
Ve appreci	ate your business!		Subtotal	**************************************	\$1,819.26
Late Payme	on Policy: Any unpaid balances begining of the will accrue a per annum interest rate of	n the 30th day after the 7.5%, unless otherwise	Sales Tax (8.	25%)	\$0.08
tated in a formalized contract.			Total		\$1,819.26

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Bill To: Chem Carriers, LLC

Attn: Robert Banta 1247 Hwy 75 Brookewood Sunshine, LA 70780

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		P.O. No.	Terms	Pro	oject
			Net 30		
Quantity	Description	'n	Manifest #	Rate	Amount
5,000 5,000 5,000 5,000 5,000	1/26/10 Transportation services by CES @ \$8: 17% Fuel Surcharge Recycling of hydrocarbon and water in Phenol 50 ppm surcharge @ \$0.04 per TOC 11,570 surcharge @ \$0.03 per gate Recycling of hydrocarbon and water in Phenol 50 ppm surcharge @ \$0.04 per TOC 15,553 surcharge @ \$0.03 per gate 1.5% Energy Surcharge @ \$0.03 per gate 1.5% Compliance Fee	nixture @ \$0.09 per gallon gallon allon nixture @ \$0.09 per gallon gallon	BOL 93254 BOL 93289	850.00 289.00 0.09 0.04 0.03 0.09 0.04 0.03 13.50 36.03	1,700.00 289.00 450.00 200.00 150.00 450.00 200.00 150.00
We appreci	ate your business!		Subtotal	<u>[</u>	\$3,638.53
Late Payme	nt Policy: Any unpaid balances begining of the will accrue a per annum interest rate of	on the 30th day after the 7.5%, unless otherwise	Sales Tax (8.	25%)	\$0.00
	ormalized contract,	·	Total		\$3,638.53

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Attn: Robert Banta

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	,	P.O. No.	Terms	Pro	oject
			Net 30		
Quantity	Description	)	Manifest#	Rate	Amount
5,000 5,000 5,000 5,000	1/27/10 Transportation services by CES @ \$85 17% Fuel Surcharge Recycling of hydrocarbon and water in Phenol 50 ppm surcharge @ \$0.04 per TOC 16,290 surcharge @ \$0.03 per ga Recycling of hydrocarbon and water in Phenol 75 ppm surcharge @ \$0.04 per TOC 11,400 surcharge @ \$0.03 per ga 1.5% Energy Surcharge 1% Compliance Fee	ixture @ \$0.09 per gallon gallon llon ixture @ \$0.09 per gallon gallon	BOL 93255	850.00 289.00 0.09 0.04 0.03 0.09 0.04 0.03 13.50 36.03	1,700.00 289.00 450.00 200.00 150.00 450.00 150.00 13.50 36.03
Ve appreci	ate your business!	······································	Subtotal	<u> </u>	\$3,638.53
	nt Policy: Any unpaid balances begining or ue will accrue a per annum interest rate of 7		Sales Tax (8.	25%)	\$0.00
stated in a formalized contract.			Total		\$3,638.53

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Chem Carriers, LLC Attn: Robert Banta

1247 Hwy 75 Brookewood Sunshine, LA 70780

		P.O. No.	Terms	Pr	oject	
			Net 30			
Quantity	Description	1	Manifest #	Rate	Amount	
	10/7/09 Fee for sampling, delivery, and analyti	cals of class 1 sludge		375.00	375.00	
1	11/2/09 Transportation services by CES to defi #VB25111	ver vacuum box		975.00	975.00	
	15.5% Fuel Surcharge			151.13	151.13	
15	11/6/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$97 15.5% Fuel Surcharge Disposal of Non-RCRA material (class @ \$85.00 per yd Greater than 10% free liquids surcharg 11/6/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$97 15.5% Fuel Surcharge Disposal of Non-RCRA material (class @ \$85.00 per yd	s 1 sludge) ge @ \$500.00 per box 75.00 per load	5793376JJK 5793379JJK	975.00 151.13 85.00 500.00 975.00 151.13 85.00	975.00 151.13 1,275.00 500.00 975.00 151.13 1,275.00	
We appreci	ate your business!		Subtotal			
Late Payme	ent Policy: Any unpaid balances begining or	n the 30th day after the 7.5%, unless otherwise	Sales Tax (8.25%)			
stated in a formalized contract.		Total				
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Quantity	Description		Manifest #	Rate	Amount
17	11/10/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$97: 15.5% Fuel Surcharge Disposal of Non-RCRA material (class @ \$85.00 per yd Greater than 10% free liquids surcharge	1 sludge)	5793408JJK	975.00 151.13 85.00 500.00	975.00 151.13 1,445.00 500.00
	11/11/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$975 15.5% Fuel Surcharge Disposal of Non-RCRA material (class @ \$85.00 per yd	-	5793412JJK	975.00 151.13 85.00	975.00 151.13 850.00
15	11/12/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$975 15.5% Fuel Surcharge Disposal of Non-RCRA material (class @ \$85.00 per yd Greater than 10% free liquids surcharge	1 sludge)	5793423JJK	975.00 151.13 85.00 500.00	975.00 151.13 1,275.00 500.00
We appreci	ate your business!		Subtotal		
Late Payme	nt Policy: Any unpaid balances begining on the will accrue a per annum interest rate of 7.	the 30th day after the 5%, unless otherwise	Sales Tax (8	.25%)	
stated in a formalized contract.			Total		

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Quantity	Description		Manifest #	Rate	Amount
1	available upon arrival, no cancellation i			975.00	975.00
1	15.5% Fuel Surcharge	•	C 202 42 711V	975.00 151.13	975.00 151.13 850.00
1	Disposal of Non-RCRA material (class @ \$85,00 per yd 11/16/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$975 15.5% Fuel Surcharge Disposal of Non-RCRA material (class @ \$85.00 per yd	.00 per load	5793437JJK 5793438JJK	975.00 151.13 85.00	975.00 151.13 850.00
1	11/17/09 Transportation services by CES to retur available upon arrival, no cancellation r 15.5% Fuel Surcharge	n empty box No load notification		975.00 151.13	975.00 151.13
We appreci	ate your business!		Subtotal		
Late Payment Policy: Any unpaid balances begining on the 30th day after the account is due will accrue a per annum interest rate of 7.5%, unless otherwistated in a formalized contract.		the 30th day after the 5%, unless otherwise	Sales Tax (8.25%)		
			Total		

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Quantity	Description		Manifest #	Rate	Amount
	11/19/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$97 15.5% Fuel Surcharge Disposal of Non-RCRA material (class @ \$85.00 per yd		5793463JJK.	975.00 151.13 85.00	975.00 151.13 850.00
	11/20/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$97: 15.5% Fuel Surcharge Disposal of Non-RCRA material (class @ \$85.00 per yd	•	5793470JJK	975.00 151.13 85.00	975.00 151.13 1,275.00
15	11/24/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$975 15.5% Fuel Surcharge Disposal of Non-RCRA material (class @ \$85.00 per yd Washout of vacuum box #VB25111 Labor - Digout of sludge vacuum box # 2 men at 3.5 hrs each @ \$35.00 per man	1 sludge) VB25111	5793489JJK	975.00 151.13 85.00 275.00 35.00	975.00 151.13 1,275.00 275.00 245.00
We appreci	ate your business!		Subtotal		······································
Late Payment Policy: Any unpaid balances begining on the account is due will accrue a per amoun interest rate of 7.5%,			Sales Tax (8.25%)		
	ormalized contract,		Total		······································

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Quantity	Descriptio	n	Manifest #	Rate	Amount
3	Disposal of 3 yds Heel from digout @	\$85.00 per yd		85.00	255,00
	11/24/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$9' 15.5% Fuel Surcharge Disposal of Non-RCRA material (clas @ \$85.00 per yd	•	5793488JJK	975,00 151,13 85,00	975.00 151.13 1,275.00
1	11/25/09 Transportation services by CES to reto available upon arrival, no cancellation 15.5% Fuel Surcharge		¥	975.00 151.13	975.00 151.13
29	Rental of vacuum box #VB25111 from @ \$55.00 per day	n 11/2 - 11/30/09		55.00	1,595.00T
25	Rental of vacuum box #VB25107 from	n 11/6 - 11/30/09		55.00	1,375.00T
25	@ \$55.00 per day Rental of vacuum box #VB2566 from @ \$55.00 per day	11/6 - 11/30/09		55.00	1,375,00T
:	1% Compliance Fee			370.62	370.62
We appreci	We appreciate your business!		Subtotal	***************************************	\$36,752.57
	Late Payment Policy: Any unpaid balances begining on the 30th day after the account is due will accrue a per annum interest rate of 7.5%, unless otherwise		Sales Tax (8.	25%)	\$358.46
	formalized contract.		Total		\$37,111.03

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Quantity	Description		Manifest #	Rate	Amount
i 10	12/1/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$975.00 pe 17% Fuel Surcharge Disposal of Non-RCRA material (class 1 sludge) \$85.00 per yd		5799522JJK	975.00 165.75 85.00	975.00 165.75 850.00
	12/1/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$975.00 pe 17% Fuel Surcharge Disposal of Non-RCRA material (class 1 slud) @ \$85.00 per yd		5799523JJK	975.00 165.75 85.00	975.00 165.75 850.00
	12/8/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$975.00 pe 17% Fuel Surcharge Disposal of Non-RCRA material (class 1 slud) @ \$85.00 per yd		5799576JIK	975.00 165.75 85.00	975.00 165.75 850.00
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ate Payme	ent Policy: Any unpaid balances begining on the 30th the will accrue a per annum interest rate of 7.5%, un	h day after the less otherwise	Sales Tax (8.25%)		
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Quantity	Description	)	Manifest #	Rate	Amount
10	12/16/09 Transportation services by CBS @ \$97 17% Fuel Surcharge Disposal of Non-RCRA material (class @ \$85.00 per yd	ŕ	5799615JJK	975.00 165.75 85.00	975.00 165.75 850.00
1	12/17/09 Transportation services by CES to retu available upon arrival, no cancellation 17% Fuel Surcharge			975.00 165.75	975.00 165.75
1	12/18/09 Transportation services by CES to retu available upon arrival, no cancellation 17% Fuel Surcharge			975.00 165.75	975.00 165.75
	12/21/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$97 17% Fuel Surcharge Disposal of Non-RCRA material (class @ \$85.00 per yd	•	5799643JJK	975.00 165.75 85.00	975.00 165.75 850.00
We appreci	ate your business!		Subtotal		
Late Payment Policy: Any unpaid balances begining on the 30th day after the account is due will accrue a per annum interest rate of 7.5%, unless otherwise stated in a formalized contract.		the 30th day after the .5%, unless otherwise	Sales Tax (8	.25%)	
		Total			

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	Tunn		Net 30		
Quantity	Description		Manifest #	Rate	Amount
10 31 31	12/21/09 Transportation services by CES @ \$975 17% Fuel Surcharge Disposal of Non-RCRA material (class @ \$85.00 per yd  Rental of vacuum box #VB25111 from @ \$55.00 per day (still on rent) Rental of vacuum box #VB25107 from @ \$55.00 per day (still on rent) Rental of vacuum box #VB2566 from 1 @ \$55.00 per day (still on rent) 1% Compliance Fee	1 sludge) 12/1 - 12/31/09 12/1 - 12/31/09	5799642.IJK	975.00 165.75 85.00 55.00 55.00	975.00 165.75 850.00 1,705.00 1,705.00 1,705.00 199.24
We appreci	ate your business!		Subtotal		\$19,540.24
Late Payment Policy: Any unpaid balances begining on the 30th day after the account is due will accrue a per annum interest rate of 7.5%, unless otherwise		Sales Tax (8	.25%)	\$421.99	
stated in a f	native of particular paid in cook a concern of 466.89		Total		\$19,962.23

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Balance before invaire \$1,255657.33 Page 3

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Chem Carriers, LLC

Attn: Robert Banta

1247 Hwy 75 Brookewood Sunshine, LA 70780

		P.O. No.	Terms	Pr	oject
	. •		Net 30		
Quantity	Descriptio	n	Manifest#	Rate	Amount
1	12/9/09 Washout Vacuum Box #25111 1/4/10			275.00	275.00
2	Transportation services by CES to rete	urn		975.00	1,950,00
	vacuum box #VB25107 & 2566 17% Fuel Surcharge			331.50	331.50
	1/19/10 Transportation services by CES @ \$9' 17% Fuel Surcharge Disposal of Non-RCRA material (clas @ \$85.00 per yd	•	5799851JJK	975.00 165,75 85.00	975.00 165.75 1,445.00
31	Rental of vacuum box #VB25111 from (@ \$55,00 per day	n 1/1 - 31/10		55.00	1,705.00T
31	Rental of vacuum box #VB25107 from	n 1/1 - 31/10	ļ	55.00	1,705.00T
31	@ \$55.00 per day Rental of vacuum box #VB2566 from @ \$55.00 per day	1/1 - 31/10		55.00	1,705.00T
	1% Compliance Fee		:	108,40	108.40
We appreci	ate your business!	and the second s	Subtotal		\$10,365.65
Late Payme	ent Policy: Any unpaid balances begining of	on the 30th day after the 7,5%, unless otherwise	Sales Tax (8.	.25%)	\$421.99
	formalized contract.	•	Total		\$10,787.64

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BIII To:

Plaquemine Point Shipyard

1070 River Road Sunshine, LA 70780

### Invoice

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			Net 30		
Quantity	Description		Manifest #	Rate	Amount
	10/12/09				
1	Transportation services by CES #298 @ \$8	ISO 00 per load		850.00	850.00
	Loading demurrage @ \$70,00 per hour	100100 per 1000		70,00	87.50
,,,,,,	14.5% Fuel Surcharge			135.94	135.94
5,552	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mixtu	re @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90737	0.09	499.68
)	Transportation services by CES #287 @ \$8	50.00 per load		850.00	850.00
	Loading demurrage @ \$70,00 per hour	•		70.00	70.00
	14.5% Fuel Surcharge			133.40	133.40
5,000	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mixture	re @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90745	0.09	450.00
1	Transportation services by CES #282 @ \$8	50.00 per load		850.00	850.00
1	Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hour			70.00	70.00
	14.5% Fuel Surcharge			133.40	133.40
5,000	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mixtur	re @ \$0.09 per gallon	BOL 90752	0.09	450.00
	1.1% Energy Surcharge			15,40	15.40
	1% Compliance Fee			45.95	45,95
/e appreci	ate your business!		Subtotal		\$4,641,27
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ecount is due will accrue a per annum interest rate of			Sales Tax (8.	.25%)	\$0.00
ated in a f	formalized contract.		Total		\$4,641,27

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Plaquemine Point Shipyard

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		Not 30		
Quantity	Description	Manifest	# Rate	Amount
	10/13/09			
1	Transportation services by CES #298 @ \$850,00 p	er load	850.00	850.00
	Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hour		70.00	52.50
	14.5% Fuel Surcharge		130.86	130.86
5,200	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mixture @ \$0	.09 per gallon BOL 90739	0.09	468.00
!	Transportation services by CES #287 @ \$850,00 p	er load	850.00	850,00
1	Loading demurrage @ \$70.00 per hour		70.00	70.00
	14.5% Fuel Surcharge		133,40	133.40
5,000	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mixture @ \$0	.09 per gallon BOL 90746	0.09	450.00
1	Transportation services by CES #297 @ \$850.00 p	er load	850.00	850:00
•	14.5% Fuel Surcharge		123.25	123.25
5,000	Recycling of hydrocarbon and water mixture @ \$0	.09 per gallon BOL 90753	0.09	450.00
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Bill To:

Plaquemine Point Shipyard

1070 River Road Sunshine, LA 70780

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SUPERFUND DIV. DIRECTOR'S OFC.

GENERAL NOTICE LETTER -- URGENT LEGAL MATTER
PROMPT REPLY NECESSARY, CERTIFIED MAIL: #7014 0150 0000 2452 7978
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Plaquemine Point Shipyard, L.L.C. 1237 Highway 75, Sunshine, Louisiana 70780

RE:

General Notice Letter for the CES Environmental Services, Inc.- Houston Superfund Site in

Houston, Harris County, Texas

#### Dear Sir/Madam:

The purpose of this letter is to notify you of your potential liability at the CES Environmental Services, Inc.-Houston Superfund Site (Site) and to invite you to join in settlement negotiations with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). The street address for the Site is 4904 Griggs Road, Houston, Harris County, Texas. The street addresses of the contiguous properties that are parts of the Site are 4900 Griggs Road and 5910 Wayland Street. The Site is surrounded by residential, educational and commercial properties. Based on available information, the EPA has determined that you may be responsible under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA), commonly known as the federal "Superfund" law, for cleanup of the Site or costs the EPA has incurred in cleaning up the Site.

#### **Explanation of Potential Liability**

A Superfund Site is a place that is contaminated with hazardous substances at levels that may present a threat to human health or the environment. Under Sections 106 and 107 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. §§ 9606 and 9607, potentially responsible parties (PRPs) may be required to perform cleanup actions to protect the public health and welfare or the environment. PRPs may also be responsible for costs incurred by the EPA in cleaning up the Site. PRPs include current and former owners and operators of the Site, as well as persons who sent or transported hazardous substances to the Site for disposal or treatment or who arranged for the disposal or treatment of hazardous substances at the Site.

Under CERCLA, specifically Sections 106(a) and 107(a), PRPs may be required to perform cleanup actions to protect the public health, welfare, or the environment. PRPs may also be responsible for costs incurred by the EPA in cleaning up the Site, unless the PRP can show divisibility of harm or any of the statutory defenses. PRPs include current and former owners and operators of a site, as well as persons who arranged for treatment and/or disposal of any hazardous substances found at the site, and persons who accepted hazardous substances for transport and selected the site to which the hazardous substances were delivered.

Upon reviewing the enclosed General Notice, please provide a written response to Mr. Robert Werner, Enforcement Officer at 214-665-6724 within 60 calendar days after you receive this letter. Your response must identify of your intent to, or not to, enter into settlement negotiations with the EPA concerning this matter. Please mail your written response to Mr. Werner at the address that appears in the General Notice.

We look forward to working with you during the coming months.

Sincerely yours,

Carl E. Edlund, F.E.

Director

Superfund Division

Enclosures (4)

You have been identified as a PRP who either sent hazardous substances for disposal or treatment to the Site or generated certain hazardous substances that the EPA has found at the Site. For this reason the attached General Notice concerning the removal action (Enclosure 1) is being sent to you. The General Notice requests your cooperation in conducting the on-going removal action at the Site and for reimbursement of past and future costs. Enclosure 2 contains copies of the documents used to identify you as a PRP. Enclosure 3 contains a list of the entities who are receiving this General Notice.

#### Site Background

This Site is a former chemical recycling facility that filed for bankruptcy in 2010. Prior to the bankruptcy, the Site had been owned and operated by CES Environmental Services, Inc. The Site is now under the control of a Trustee for the Estate appointed by the Bankruptcy Court. The Estate does not have the funding necessary to address the conditions at the Site. The Site consists of approximately eleven vacuum boxes, two roll-off boxes, twelve frac tanks, two tanker trailers, 20 aboveground storage tanks, 15 waste water treatment tanks, waste piles, and numerous totes, vats, drums, and smaller containers. Additionally, there was spillage of chemicals to exterior surfaces as well as building interiors. The Site has experienced significant vandalism since its bankruptcy in 2010. Additionally, recent spills have occurred due to vandalism which has resulted in the spillage of chemicals and waste to the ground surface and into an adjacent residential neighborhood. Removal is time critical per the Action Memo.

The information provided by the Estate's consultant shows that there are hazardous wastes along with various hazardous substances within containers located on the Site. The hazardous substances include but are not limited to benzene (D018), creosol (D023-026), 2,4,6-trichlorophenol (D042), pH (D002), ignitability (D001), MEK (D035), and 1,2-dichloroethane (D028). These chemicals are hazardous substances as defined by Section 101(14) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9601(14), and further defined at 40 C.F.R. 302.4.

#### Response Actions to Date

On or about September 3, 2014, the EPA mobilized its contractors to begin addressing the wastes and spills at the Site. The EPA's Time Critical Removal Action has addressed the following:

- 1. Management of stormwater to reduce off-site overflow of contaminated stormwater from the Site.
- 2. Removal of wastes from ten of twelve vacuum boxes and from two of two roll-off boxes.
- 3. Removal of wastes from eight of twelve frac tanks. Three frac tanks currently hold wastes.
- 4. Removal of liquid, i.e., pump able, wastes from eleven of twenty-three aboveground storage tanks (AST). Sludge and residual materials remain until sludge removal and tank cleaning of ASTs is completed.
- 5. Empty totes/drums have been segregated for temporary storage.
- 6. Waste piles dumped to the ground from the theft of seven roll-off boxes was removed by the Trustee.
- 7. Lab chemicals/company process samples were collected and disposed by the Trustee.
- 8. Process chemicals were collected and disposed by the Trustee.

# ENCLOSURE 1 GENERAL NOTICE REGARDING CES ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES, INC.- HOUSTON HOUSTON, HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS

This General Notice is from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). This General Notice is directed to you, the Potentially Responsible Party (PRP) of the CES Environmental Services, Inc.- Houston Site (Site). This General Notice does five things:

- 1. This General Notice tells you that you may be responsible for the presence of hazardous substances found at the Site. When we say "Site" or "property" in this General Notice, we mean the CES Environmental Services, Inc.- Houston Site. The street address for the Site is 4904 Griggs Road, Houston, Harris County, Texas. The street addresses of the contiguous properties that are parts of the Site are 4900 Griggs Road and 5910 Wayland Street. This General Notice is issued under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA or Superfund).
- 2. This General Notice provides you with background information leading up to the EPA's investigation of the Site and the EPA's activities to determine the source(s) of the contamination at the Site.
- 3. This General Notice invites you to meet and enter a settlement with the EPA as a Settling Party regarding the cleanup of this Site and cooperation in conducting the on-going removal action at the Site and for reimbursement of past and future costs.
- 4. This General Notice advises you that, if you request the EPA to do so, the EPA will consider your ability to pay in determining an appropriate settlement amount.
- 5. This General Notice provides to you the names of all entities, i.e., PRPs, to which this General Notice will be mailed.

#### NOTICE THAT YOU MAY BE LIABLE

Under Section 107 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. § 9607, responsible parties are those who are current owners or operators of a facility, past owners or operators who owned or operated the facility at the time hazardous substances were released or disposed of at the facility, persons who arranged for disposal or treatment at the facility (usually the person(s) who generated the hazardous substance) or persons who selected that facility and transported the hazardous substances to the facility. Section 107 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. § 9607, states that responsible parties are liable to the United States for the costs it has incurred or will incur conducting a response action such as that proposed for the Site. A PRP is therefore responsible for performing the cleanup action in accordance with the EPA requirements, paying for the cleanup by the EPA and reimbursing the Federal Government for past and future costs of the cleanup activities.

#### BACKGROUND

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chemicals to exterior surfaces as well as building interiors. The Site has experienced significant vandalism since its bankruptcy in 2010. Additionally, recent spills have occurred due to vandalism which has resulted in the spillage of chemicals and waste to the ground surface and into an adjacent residential neighborhood. Emergency responses to these spills have involved the Estate, City of Houston, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) and the EPA. These spill responses were addressed by TCEQ and the EPA.

The information provided by the Estate's consultant shows that there are hazardous wastes along with various hazardous substances within containers located on the Site. The hazardous substances include but are not limited to Benzene (D018), Creosol (D023-026), 2,4,6-Trichlorophenol (D042), pH (D002), Ignitability (D001), MEK (D035), and 1,2-Dichloroethane (D028). These chemicals are hazardous substances as defined by Section 101(14) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9601(14), and further defined at 40 C.F.R. 302.4.

#### Response Actions to Date

On or about September 3, 2014, the EPA mobilized its contractors to begin addressing the wastes and spills at the Site. As of December 19, 2014, the EPA Team has addressed the following:

- 1. Management of stormwater to reduce off-site overflow of contaminated stormwater from the Site.
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#### **PARTICIPATION**

The EPA is inviting you to enter into a settlement with the EPA. In addition to avoiding the costs of litigation, settling with the EPA provides you with another advantage. Under the Superfund law, settling with the EPA helps protect you should another responsible party sue you for costs which that party pays to the EPA. Also, if you choose not to settle with the EPA, then the EPA may take civil administrative action and, ultimately, the EPA may request civil judicial action. A list of entities receiving this General Notice letter is included as Enclosure 3 to this letter.

#### OPPORTUNITY TO MEET

The EPA will also provide you the opportunity to meet with the EPA representatives to discuss your desire to enter into a settlement with the EPA.

#### FINANCIAL CONCERNS/ABILITY TO PAY SETTLEMENTS

The EPA is aware the financial ability of some PRPs to contribute toward the cleanup and/or payment of response costs at a site may be substantially limited. If you believe and can document that you fall within that category, please contact Mr. Robert Werner at 214-665-6724 for information on "Ability to Pay Settlements." In response, you will receive a package of information about the potential for such settlements. If the EPA concludes that you have a legitimate inability to pay the full amount of the EPA's costs, the EPA may offer a schedule for payment over time or a reduction in the total amount demanded from you.

Also, please note that because the EPA has a potential claim against you, if your financial status changes in any significant way, i.e., filing for bankruptcy, you must include the EPA as a creditor.

#### RESOURCES AND INFORMATION FOR SMALL BUSINESSES

On January 11, 2002, President Bush signed into law the Superfund Small Business Liability Relief and Brownfields Revitalization Act. This Act contains several exemptions and defenses to CERCLA liability, which we suggest that all parties evaluate. You may obtain a copy of the law via the Internet at:

http://www.epa.gov/swerosps/bf/sblrbra.htm

and review the EPA guidance regarding these exemptions at:

http://www.epa.gov/compliance/resources/policies/cleanup/superfund

The EPA has created a number of helpful resources for small businesses. The EPA has established the National Compliance Assistance Clearinghouse as well as Compliance Assistance Centers, which offer various forms of resources to small businesses. You may inquire about these resources at <a href="https://www.epa.gov">www.epa.gov</a>.

In addition, the EPA Small Business Ombudsman may be contacted at <a href="www.epa.gov/sbo.">www.epa.gov/sbo.</a> Finally, the EPA developed a fact sheet about the Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act (SBREFA), which is enclosed with this letter (Enclosure 4).

#### YOUR RESPONSE TO EPA

Please notify Mr. Werner in writing at the address indicated below within 60 calendar days after you receive this letter to indicate your willingness to enter in good faith as a Settling Party. If the EPA does not receive your written response within 60 calendar days after you receive this letter, the EPA will assume you do not wish be a Settling Party and the EPA will then take whatever actions are necessary to abate the potential threat to human health and the environment posed by contaminants on the property.

#### Your response to this letter should be directed to:

Mr. Robert Werner
Enforcement Officer (6SF-TE)
United States Environmental Protection Agency
Region 6
1445 Ross Avenue
Dallas, Texas 75202
Telephone: 214-665-6724, Fax: 214-665-6660
werner.robert@epa.gov

If you or your attorney have legal questions pertaining to this matter, please direct them to:

Ms. Amy Salinas
Assistant Regional Counsel (6RC-S)
United States Environmental Protection Agency
Region 6
1445 Ross Avenue
Dallas, Texas 75202
Telephone: 214-665-8063, Fax: 214-665-6460
salinas.amy@epa.gov

The discussions of fact or law in this General Notice are meant to help you understand CERCLA and the EPA's actions at the Site. The discussions of fact and law are not final positions on any matter discussed in this General Notice.

# ENCLOSURE 2 GENERAL NOTICE REGARDING CES ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES, INC.- HOUSTON HOUSTON, HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS

#### **EVIDENTIARY DOCUMENTATION**

#### SAMPLES OF EVIDENCE

Enclosed are copies of samples of documented evidence that identifies the name of your company. The examples are not intended to represent all the evidence in CES records. It is only a representative sample that identifies:

- 1. A waste hazardous substance that was generated by your company and was transported to the Site for disposal and/or recycling, or
- 2. A waste hazardous substance that was generated by your company and that was transported in a CES tanker trailer to a facility other than the Site for disposal and/or recycling. The EPA believes that residue of the waste hazardous substance that had been transported in the CES tanker trailer was released at the Site when the interior of the CES tanker trailer was cleaned at the Site.

#### **ENCLOSURE 3**

#### GENERAL NOTICE LETTER REGARDING CES ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES, INC.- HOUSTON HOUSTON, HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS

#### ENTITIES TO WHICH THIS GENERAL NOTICE WILL BE MAILED

The Lubrizol Corporation

Advanced Aromatics, L.P

AMTEX Machine Products, Inc.

Andergauge Drilling Systems

Arkema Inc.

**Ball Corporation** 

Canrig Drilling Technology Ltd.

Century Asphalt (Humble) d/b/a for Baytown Asphalt Materials, Ltd.

Champion Technologies (Merged into Nalco Company)

Citgo Petroleum Corporation (Citgo Refinery)

Cross Oil & Refining & Marketing, Inc..

Dover Corporation - Cook Compression (C Lee Cook)

Evalca Company of America

KMCO, Inc. (new name is Ramsey Properties, L.P.)

PGI International. LTD (merged into Parker-Hannifin Corporation)

Philip Reclamation Services Houston, LLC

Plaquemine Point Shipyard, Sunshine, LA

PPG Industries, Inc.

Praxair, Inc.

**Proler Southwest** 

**Quest Chemical Corporation** 

RasGas in Qatar @ KMTEX

Sierra Chemical Corporation

Skyhawk Chemicals, Inc.

Smithfield BioEnergy, LLC

Sun Coast Resources, Inc.

- T. T. Barge Mile (Barge Mile 183, 237)
- T. T. Barge Cleaning Mile 183, Inc. (d/b/a T.T. Barge [Mile 183])
- T. T. Barges Services Mile 237 LLC (d/b/a T T Barge Mile [Barge Mile 237])

T.T. Barge (Mile 237)

T3 Energy Services-Cypress

**Taber Extrusions** 

Targa Midstream Services LP

Tenaris Coiled Tube, LLC (Beitway 8) a-k-a Precision Tube

Texas Oil Tools, NOV (Conroe)

Texas Water Management
Total Petrochemicals, Inc. - Port Arthur
Transmontainge Product Service
Valero Refining-Texas, L.P. (d/b/a Valero Refining Co of Texas)
ZaCh System Corporation (Ampac)

# ENCLOSURE 4 GENERAL NOTICE LETTER REGARDING CES ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES, INC.- HOUSTON HOUSTON, HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS

SMALL BUSINESS RESOURCES FACT SHEET



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#### U. S. EPA Small Business Resources

i you own a small business, the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) CHALL 📳 a variety of compliance assistance resources such as workshops, training sessions, holland... websites, and guides to assist you in complying with federal and state environmental laws. These resources can help you understand your environmental obligations, improve compliance, and find cost effective ways to comply through the use of pollution prevention and other innovative technologies

#### Compliance Assistance Centers

(www.assistancecenters.net)

In partnership with industry, universities, and other federal and state agencies, EPA has established Compliance Assistance Centers that provide information targeted to industries with many small businesses.

Anriculture (www.epa.gov/agriculture or 1-888-663-2155)

Automotive Recycling Industry (www.ecarcenter.org)

Automotive Service and Repair (www.ccar-greenlink.org or 1-888-GRN-LINK)

Chemical Industry (www.chemalliance.org)

Construction Industry (www.cicacenter.org or 1-734-995-4911)

Education (www.campuserc.org)

Healthcare Industry (www.hercenter.org or 1-734-995-4911)

Metal Finishing (www.nmfrc.org or 1-734-995-4911)

Paints and Coatings (www.paintcenter.org or 1-734-995-4911)

Printed Wiring Board Manufacturian (WWW.pwbrc.org or 1-734-995-4911)

Printing (www.pneac.org or 1-888-USPNEAC) Transportation Industry (www.transource.org)

Tribal Governments and Indian Country (www.epa.gov/tribal/compliance or 202-564-2516)

US Border Environmental Issues (www.bordercenter.org or 1-734-995-4911)

The Centers also provide State Resource Locators (www.envcap.org/statetools/index.clm) for a wide range of topics to help you find important environmental compliance information specific to your state.

#### **EPA** Websites

EPA has several Internet sites that provide useful compliance assistance information and materials for small businesses. If you don't have access to the internet at your business, many public libraries provide access to the Internet at minimal or no cost.

EPA's Home Page www.epa.gov

Small Business Gateway www.epa.gov/smallbusiness

Compliance Assistance Home Page www.epa.gov/compliance/assistance

Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance www.epa.gov/compliance

Voluntary Partnership Programs www.epa.gov/partners

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Hotlines, Helplines & Clearinghouses (www.epa.gov/epahome/hotline.htm)

EPA sponsors many free hollines and clearinghouses that provide convenient assistance regarding environmental requirements. A few examples are listed below:

Clean Air Technology Center (www.epa.gov/tin/catc or 1-919-541-0800)

Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act (www.epa.gov/superfund/resources/infocenter/epcra.htm or 1-800-424-9346)

EPA's Small Business Ombudsman Hotline provides regulatory and technical assistance information. (www.epa.gov/sbo or 1-800-368-5888)

The National Environmental Compliance Assistance Clearinghouse provides quick access to compliance assistance tools, contacts, and planned activities from the U.S. EPA, states, and other compliance assistance providers (www.epa.gov/clearinghouse)

National Response Center to report oil and hazardous substance spills. (www.nrc.uscg.mil or 1-800-424-8802)

Pollution Prevention Information Clearinghouse (www.eps.gov/opptint/ppic or 1-202-566-0799)

Safe Drinking Water Holline (vww.epa.gov/safewater/holline/index.html or 1-800-426-4791)

Stratospheric Ozone Refrigerants Information (www.epa.gov/ozone or 1-800-296-1996)

Toxics Assistance Information Service also includes asbestos inquiries. (1-202-554-1404)

Wetlands Helptine (vww.epa.gov/owow/vetlands/wetline.html or 1-800-832-7828)

#### State Agencies

Many state agencies have established compliance assistance programs that provide on-site and other types of assistance. Contact your local state environmental agency for more information or the following two resources:

EPA's Small Business Ombudsman (www.epa.gov/sbo or 1-800-368-5888)

Small Business Environmental Homepage (www.smallbiz-enviroweb.org or 1-724-452-4722)

#### Compliance Incentives

EPA provides incentives for environmental compliance. By participating in compliance assistance programs or voluntarily disclosing and promptly correcting violations before an enforcement action has been initiated.

businesses may be eligible for penalty waivers or reductions. EPA has two policies that potentially apply to small businesses:

The Smitt Business Compliance Policy (www.epa.gov/compliance/incentives/smattbusiness)

Audit Policy (www.epa.gov/compliance/incentives/auditing)

Commenting on Federal Enforcement Actions and Compliance Activities
The Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act (SBREFA) established an SBA Ombudsman and 10 Regional Fairness Boards to receive comments from small businesses about federal agency enforcement actions. If you believe that you fall within the Small Business Administration's definition of a small business (based on your North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) designation, number of employees, or annual receipts, defined at 13 C.F.R. 121.201; in most cases, this means a business with 500 or fewer employees), and wish to comment on federal enforcement

Every small business that is the subject of an enforcement or compliance action is entitled to comment on the Agency's actions without fear of retaliation. EPA employees are prohibited from using enforcement or any other means of retaliation against any member of the regulated community in response to comments made under SBREFA.

and compliance activities, call the SBREFA Ombudsman's

toll-free number at 1-888-REG-FAIR (1-888-734-3247).

#### Your Duty to Comply

If you receive compliance assistance or submit comments to the SBREFA Ombudsman or Regional Fairness Boards. you still have the duty to comply with the law, including providing timely responses to EPA information requests, administrative or civil complaints, other enforcement actions or communications. The assistance information and comment processes do not give you any new rights or defenses in any enforcement action. These processes also do not affect EPA's obligation to protect public health or the environment under any of the environmental statutes it enforces, including the right to take emergency remedial or emergency response actions when appropriate. Those decisions will be based on the facts in each situation. The SBREFA Ombudsman and Fairness Boards do not participate in resolving EPA's enforcement actions. Also, remember that to preserve your rights, you need to comply with all rules governing the enforcement process.

EPA is disseminating this information to you without making a determination that your business or organization is a small business as defined by Section 222 of the Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act or related provisions.

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do we shout pay? PLAQUEMINE POINT SHIPYARD 1070 River Rd. Invoice Number: 3142 Sunshine, LA 70780 Involce Date: 10/31/08 Page: FAXED 412/08 Duplicate Voice: 225-642-5376 Fax: 225-642-7756 Bill To: CES Environmental Services, Inc. 4904 Griggs Houston, TX 77021 BY:----Customer ID: 15-30009 **Customer PO Due Date Payment Terms** Sales Rep ID 11/30/08 Net 30 Days Description Amount PROVIDE ACCESS AND ASSISTANCE TO OFF LOAD BARGE CCL 7 ONTO TRUCKS 68 TRUCKS @ \$350.00/EA 20,400.00 Should be \$150/ TRuck 510.00 SHIPBUILDERS INSURANCE SURCHARGE Short pay PAST DUE 0, 110.00 20,910.00 Subtotal

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00007269 CES ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES INC ATTN: ACCOUNTS PAYABLE 4904 GRIGGS RD HOUSTON TX 77021

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WKSHT #: 1073759

PD# 373 029

BARGES..... CCL 7 . PLAGUEMINE POINT SHIPYARD, SUNSHINE, LA PRODUCTS..... SULFIDIC CAUSTIC (SPENT) (H2S) 0:00 OR UNLDADING: 10/04/2008 5:50 STARTED LOADING..... FINISHED LOADING..... 0:00 DR UNLDADING: 10/04/2008 11:10 HOSE CONNECTED: 10/04/2008 5:30 DISCONNECTED: 10/04/2008 15:45 VAPOR HOSE CONNECTED: 0:00 DISCONNECTED: 10/04/2008 0:00 FWD PORT: FWD STB: AFT PORT: AFT STB:

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OTHER INFO:

DELAYS:

0400-0530 WAITING ON DOCKMAN 1110-1545 WAITING FOR TRUCKS THAT NEVER CAME BACK

....MAN ARRIVED: 10/04/2008 4:00 ....LEFT: 10/04/2008 16:30

CHARGES:

1ST B HOURS @ 518.00 4.50 HOURS @ 76.50 MILEAGE RESPIRATORY AIR EQUIPMENT

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ID # 13-3041390



PLEASE REMIT TO: For check payments: PO Box 2227 Carol Stream, IL 80132-2227 For wire transfers: Cliticack - New Castle, Delaware Account # 3870-9309 ABA #031100209

INVOICE DATE.... 10/15/2008 INVOICE NUMBER.... 555154

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00007269 CES ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES INC ATTN: ACCOUNTS PAYABLE 4904 GRIGGS RD HOUSTON TX 77021

WKSHT #: 1073797

PO# 373 029

BARGES..... CCL 7 .. PLAQUEMINE POINT SHIPYARD, SUNSHINE, LA PRODUCTS..... SULFIDIC CAUSTIC (SPENT) (H2S) 0:00 DR UNLDADING: 10/06/2008 STARTED LOADING..... 6:07 FINISHED LOADING..... 0:00 DR UNLDADING: 10/06/2008 16:00 HDSE CONNECTED: 10/06/2008 6:05 DISCONNECTED: 10/06/2008 16:05 0:00 DISCONNECTED: 10/06/2008 VAPOR HOSE CONNECTED: 0:00 FWD PORT: FWD STB: AFT PORT: AFT STB: LEFT: 10/06/2008 16:45 MAN ARRIVED: 10/06/2008 5:30 TOTAL HOURS: 11.25 OTHER INFO: CHARGES: 1ST 8 HOURS @ 518.00 518.00 3.25 HOURS @ 76.50 248.63 48.15 MILEAGE RESPIRATORY AIR EQUIPMENT 151.64 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 966.42

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INVOICE DATE.... 10/09/2008
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WKSHT #: 1073171

PO# 373 029

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BARGES CCL 7	
LOCATION PLAGUEMINE POI	INT SHIPYARD, SUNSHINE, LA
PRODUCTS SULFIDIC CAUST	TIC (SPENT) (H2S)
STARTED LOADING 0:00	DR UNLDADING: 10/01/2008 15:05
FINISHED LDADING 0:00	OR UNLOADING: 10/01/2008 24:00
HOSE CONNECTED: 10/01/2008 15:00	DISCONNECTED: 10/02/2008 0:05
VAPOR HOSE CONNECTED: 0:00	DISCONNECTED: 10/01/2008 0:00
FWD PORT:	FWD STB:
AFT PORT:	AFT STB:
MAN ARRIVED: 10/01/2008 14:15	LEFT: 10/02/2008 1:00

OTHER INFO:

DELAYS:

10/1 1700-2330 WAITING ON TRUCKS TO RETURN

CHARGES:
1ST 8 HOURS @ 518.00
2.75 HOURS @ 76.50
MILEAGE
RESPIRATORY AIR EQUIPMENT



518.00 210.38 48.15 40.53 \$ 817.06

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**NET 30 DAYS** 

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